# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

GLADYS YOLTON, WILBUR MONTGOMERY, ELSIE TEAS, ROBERT BETKER, EDWARD MAYNARD, and GARY HALSTED, on behalf of themselves and a similarly situated class,

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 02-CV-75164

 $\mathbf{v}$ 

Patrick J. Duggan

EL PASO TENNESSEE PIPELINE CO., and CNH AMERICA LLC,

**Class Action** 

Defendants.

#### **EXHIBIT 3**

TO

### PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR ATTORNEY FEES AND EXPENSES

*UAW v. CHRYSLER CORP.*C.A. No. 07-14310 (E.D. Mich., May 16, 2008)(Cleland, J.)



## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE, AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS OF AMERICA; and WILLIAM ENGLISH, GERALD M. SYKES, LARRY J. SCOTT, and BEVERLY JENNINGS, on behalf of themselves and all other persons similarly situated,

Case No. 2:07-cv-14310-RHC-SDP

District Judge Robert H. Cleland

Magistrate Judge Steven D. Pepe

Plaintiffs,

V.

CHRYSLER, LLC,

Defendant.

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### ORDER

Having considered the motion for an award of attorneys' fees and costs, and notice of that motion having been directed through the Class Notice to the class members in a reasonable manner, the Court makes the following findings of fact and conclusions of law (to be supplemented after counsel supplement their motion 14 days after judgment pursuant to Rule 54(d)(2)):

- 1. Class Counsel are entitled to fees and nontaxable costs pursuant to ERISA.
- 2. The hourly rates they seek are reasonable \$475/hr. for William T. Payne and other senior partners at Stember Feinstein Doyle & Payne, LLC ("SFDP"); \$425/hr. for Stember Feinstein Doyle & Payne ("SFDP"), LLC's junior partners Pamina Ewing and Stephen M.

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Pincus; \$390/hr. for SFDP senior associate Jonathan K. Cohn; \$370/hr. for SFDP senior associate Joel R. Hurt; \$400/hr. for SFDP of counsel Lawrence Frolik; \$230/hr. for SFDP first-year attorney Rachael Kassner Davis; and \$125/hr. for SFDP law clerks and paralegals.

- 3. Given the size and complexity of the case, counsel's estimated award of approximately \$323,255 in attorneys' fees, \$77,500 for expert costs, and \$7,000 in other costs would be reasonable and proper.
- 4. Further proceedings concerning fees and costs may be held after counsel supplement their motion 14 days after judgment.

	So Ordered,
Date:	Roberand
	Robert H. Cleland
	United States District Judge

cc:

All parties of record.